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R0370-02101

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I believe the inventors named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 6,251,107, granted June 26, 2001 and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled _____,

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the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed on June 20, 2003 as reissue application number 10/601,288

and was amended on _____
(If applicable)

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New claim 36 is broader than claims 18, 20, 30, and 31 of the Issued Patent in several aspects. The new claim 36 is directed to a disclosed combination which does not require an electrical conductor braided within or into the shaft or a metal band or conducting member over the temperature sensor.

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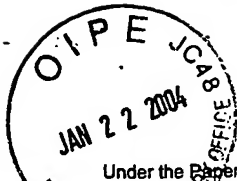
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This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.

Name of Patentee(s)

Alan K. Schaer

Patent Number

6,251,107

Date Patent Issued

June 26, 2001

Title of Invention

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Name of assignee/inventor (if not assigned)

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